

Step 6: Arrange a time for delivery to the President of the Senate's office.

Step 7: Arrange for two D.C. employees to drive to the Capitol. (Two staffers are required because parking restrictions require a driver and a delivery person.)

Step 8: Drive to the Capitol.

Step 9: Deliver the legislation to the Speaker's office and get a signed receipt.

Step 10: Deliver the legislation to the President of the Senate's office and get a signed receipt.

Step 11: Assign the congressional review period based on the receipts.

Step 12: File the signed receipts.

The aftermath of the January 6, 2021 attack on the Capitol highlighted the burdens of physical transmittal. After temporary fencing was installed around the Capitol, staff from the D.C. Council could not enter the Capitol, delaying the transmittal of legislation until Council staff and congressional staff developed a workaround. Council staff and congressional staff met outside the fencing so the Council staff could physically transmit the legislation.

Today, when we live in the era of e-mail, there is no reason to continue to require an increasingly ancient process, when these documents could be transmitted electronically instead, saving a tremendous amount of time and effort. I urge my colleagues to support this commonsense bill.

#### BERRYESSA SNOW MOUNTAIN NATIONAL MONUMENT EXPANSION ACT

**HON. JOHN GARAMENDI**

OF CALIFORNIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

*Monday, January 10, 2022*

Mr. GARAMENDI. Madam Speaker, today I introduce the "Berryessa Snow Mountain National Monument Expansion Act," with Congressman MIKE THOMPSON (D-CA05) as the original cosponsor. Our legislation would expand the National Monument to include approximately 3,925 acres of federal land in Lake County, California; create new co-management opportunities with federally recognized tribes; and rename Walker Ridge to "Molok Luyuk," meaning Condor Ridge in the Patwin language of Native Americans indigenous to the area. It is endorsed by the Lake County Board of Supervisors and the Tribal Council of the Yocha Dehe Wintun Nation.

In the 114th Congress, I championed bicameral legislation (H.R. 761/S. 393) to establish the Berryessa Snow Mountain National Monument, with then-Senator Barbara Boxer (D-CA) and Congressman THOMPSON. Our legislation would have included the Walker Ridge tract in Lake and Colusa Counties, California, administered by the federal Bureau of Land Management (BLM) within the National Monument's boundary.

In December 2014, Congressman THOMPSON and I hosted then-Secretary of the Interior Sally Jewell at the Lake Berryessa reservoir, so she could view the landscape and hear from local community and tribal leaders about the need to permanently conserve this special place. Said Secretary Jewell at the time: "This is a beautiful area with cultural history and great opportunities for outdoor recreation and wildlife viewing so it's no surprise that the

community wants to make sure that it is protected and passed on to the next generation." In July 2015, President Obama issued Presidential Proclamation 9298, designating the federal land surrounding Lake Berryessa administered by the BLM and U.S. Forest Service as the Berryessa Snow Mountain National Monument.

The "Berryessa Snow Mountain National Monument Expansion Act" would expand the existing National Monument boundary to include the Lake County portion of Walker Ridge, which the legislation renames to Condor Ridge (Molok Luyuk). This ridgeline is an extinct volcanic mountain range with an unusual "serpentine" soil composition supporting a trove of rare and beautiful plant species like the adobe lily (*Fritillaria pluriflora*) found only in this part of northern California. Other at-risk and protected animal species such as the bald eagle, golden eagle, and tule elk also make their home there.

Our legislation would not affect privately owned, state, tribal, or non-federal land. The federal land parcel proposed for inclusion within the National Monument does not include acreage of the BLM's Walker Ridge tract in Colusa County. Our legislation would also ensure that federally recognized tribes—whose ancestors called the National Monument home for millennia—have a meaningful role in the land stewardship of the National Monument. Finally, our legislation would direct the BLM and the Forest Service to complete the management plan for the National Monument, which has remained unfinished since 2015.

Madam Speaker, I encourage all Members of the California delegation to join us in cosponsoring this legislation to permanently conserve this special place in Lake County. We must protect this unique landscape for future generations to enjoy and honor the Native American peoples who walked this land well before our country was even founded.

#### RECOGNIZING THE LIFE OF SHERIFF JIMMY SIMMONS

**HON. TRENT KELLY**

OF MISSISSIPPI

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

*Monday, January 10, 2022*

Mr. KELLY of Mississippi. Madam Speaker, I rise today to celebrate the life of Sheriff Jimmy Simmons of Houston, Mississippi who passed away on November 19, 2021 at the age of 75. I join his family, friends, and loved ones in mourning his loss.

Jimmy Simmons was born on March 18, 1946 to James Travis and Venita Buchanan Simmons. He was a member of the National Guard. He was known as a horse trader, also owning rodeo bulls, mules, tracking hounds, cow dogs and coon dogs. He was a law enforcement officer for 30 years and spent 24 as a sheriff of Chickasaw County. He was a dedicated member of Houka First Baptist Church. He wished to be remembered for his humor and humility.

Left to cherish his memory are Liz Simmons, Annette Simmons, Chad Simmons, and many grandchildren and great grandchildren. I offer my most sincere condolences to the Chickasaw County community.

#### TRIBUTE TO BETTY WHITE

**HON. ADAM B. SCHIFF**

OF CALIFORNIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

*Monday, January 10, 2022*

Mr. SCHIFF. Madam Speaker, I rise today to celebrate the life of Betty Marion White, renowned award-winning actress and animal welfare champion, of Los Angeles, California, who passed away on December 31, 2021, at the age of 99.

Betty was born on January 17, 1922 in Oak Park, Illinois. In 1923, she and her parents moved to Alhambra, California and later to Los Angeles, where she graduated from Beverly Hills High School, and made her professional acting debut at the Bliss Hayden Little Theatre in Beverly Hills.

Ms. White served in the American Women's Voluntary Services during World War II, and made her movie debut in *Time to Kill*, a film for servicemen about military educational programs. A dynamic radio personality, she appeared in shows such as *The Great Gildersleeve* and *Blondie*, and had her own variety radio show, *The Betty White Show*. Moving into television, she co-hosted *Hollywood on Television*, a live television variety show, and later became co-producer and star of the show, *Life With Elizabeth*, which won her the first of many Emmy awards. Over her seventy-plus year career, she starred and appeared in numerous television shows—sitcoms, game shows, talk shows and soap operas, including the *Betty White Show*, *What's My line*, *Password*, *The Love Boat*, *Maybe This Time*, *Boston Legal*, *Hot in Cleveland*, *The Bold and the Beautiful*, and *Saturday Night Live*, in addition to films such as *Lake Placid*, *The Proposal* and the 2018 documentary about her career, *First Lady of Television*. Ms. White was best known for her two signature roles as the conniving Sue Ann Nivens in the popular *Mary Tyler Moore Show* and the naive Rose Nylund in the enormously successful *The Golden Girls* television series.

I came to know Betty through her love of animals, and she was a tireless animal welfare advocate, author, donor, and spokeswoman. She worked with and supported many organizations such as the African Wildlife Foundation, *Actors and Others for Animals* and the *Morris Animal Foundation*, serving as president and trustee, and she produced as well as hosted the syndicated series, *The Pet Set*, which highlighted celebrities and their pets. It was her involvement with the Greater Los Angeles Zoo Association (GLAZA), the support group for the Los Angeles Zoo, that was near and dear to her heart, and spanned more than fifty years, beginning at the zoo's opening in 1966. One of her major projects was to produce, write and star in *Backstage at the Zoo*, a television special that aired in 1974, with famous friends Mary Tyler Moore, Jimmy Stewart, L.A. Mayor Tom Bradley and others making appearances. This was significant, as the special raised awareness of the zoo, brought the zoo into the homes of many Angelenos, emphasized the zoo's outstanding animal care team and showcased the behind-the-scenes work. Since 1974, Ms. White has continuously served on the Board of Trustees for GLAZA, stepping away for several years to become an inaugural member of the Board of Zoo Commissioners, where she served for

eight years, before returning to GLAZA's board and serving as chair. For her lifelong work for animal welfare, Betty was honored by L.A. Mayor Yillaraigosa as the City of Los Angeles' "Ambassador to the Animals," and made an honorary zoo keeper by the Los Angeles Chapter of The American Association of Zoo Keepers.

I would like to convey my deepest sympathies to Betty's family, friends, and fans, as well as extend my heartfelt thanks for her decades of contributions to animal welfare, the L.A. Zoo in particular, and untold hours of entertainment she provided to the world. The entire global community will greatly miss Betty White.

IN RECOGNITION OF MARK A.  
SHAFFER

HON. JENNIFER WEXTON

OF VIRGINIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

*Monday, January 10, 2022*

Ms. WEXTON. Madam Speaker, I rise today to recognize Mark A. Shaffer, Unit Chief of Human Rights Violators and War Crimes, Homeland Security Investigations. Mr. Shaffer retired from his post with the Department of Homeland Security on December 31, 2021, after 30 years of federal service.

The Human Rights Violators and War Crimes Unit (HRVWCU) is dedicated to identifying persons involved in the commission of atrocities throughout the world, preventing them from entering the United States and if located within the jurisdiction of the United States, work with HSI field offices to investigate, prosecute and remove them from the United States.

As the HRVWCU Chief, Mark oversees ICE's Human Rights Violators and War Crimes Center, an HSI-led multi-agency effort to ensure those individuals and organizations responsible for the commission of human rights violations and war crimes are held accountable.

Prior to joining the Human Rights Violators and War Crimes Unit, Mark served as the Chief of HSI's Worksite Enforcement Unit and as a Domestic Operations Chief at HSI Headquarters in Washington, D.C. Prior to his service at HSI Headquarters, Mark served as the ICE Attaché in Mexico City and as the ICE Deputy Attaché in Bogota, Colombia.

As a field Special Agent and Supervisor, Mark conducted a wide variety of criminal investigations in the areas of terrorism, gangs, fraud, narcotics, financial and worksite investigations. Mark began his federal career as a staffer for a California U.S. Senator and then as an agent with the Immigration and Naturalization Service in 1993. Over the last 30 years, he has served the agency in various capacities.

Mark is a graduate of the University of California at Davis. He and his wife Kristen have two children, daughter Sofia, and son Jean-Claude.

I would ask my colleagues to join me in thanking Mark for his service to our country and wishing him all the best in life's next chapter.

IN REMEMBRANCE OF FRANCIS  
KENNETH SILVA

HON. JOHN GARAMENDI

OF CALIFORNIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

*Monday, January 10, 2022*

Mr. GARAMENDI. Madam Speaker, today I rise to honor the life of Francis Kenneth Silva. A retired farmer, Fran had resided in Sutter County all his life. He was a Director and Board Member of Levee District 1 and a Director of the Feather River Water District. He served as an advisor and historian to local water and levee agencies. He served on the Sutter County Sheriff's Posse and was an avid fisherman.

Fran is survived by his wife Darlyne Elizabeth Silva of Yuba City; his daughters, Nancy Ellen Silva and Julie Anne Oliver, both of Sacramento; 6 grandchildren; and 5 great-grandchildren. He is preceded in death by his daughter Janice Faye Wildanger of Sacramento, and his son John Francis Silva of Forrest Hill.

RECOGNIZING THE LIFE OF  
DENNIS CRAIG GRISHAM

HON. TRENT KELLY

OF MISSISSIPPI

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

*Monday, January 10, 2022*

Mr. KELLY of Mississippi. Madam Speaker, I rise today to celebrate the life of Dennis Grisham who passed away in Dumas, Mississippi on December 8, 2021. I join his family, friends, and loved ones in mourning his loss.

Dennis was born to Leland and Roberta Grisham in Ripley, Mississippi on November 28, 1944. He attended Northwest Mississippi Community College and the University of Southern Mississippi. He served in the Marine Corps until 1969.

After his service, Dennis moved to Memphis, Tennessee where he met his wife Lynda McAister. They raised three children, Billy, Tommy and Jill. In 1974, the family moved back to Ripley. He started his own company, Grisham Asphalt and Paving. In 1984 he was elected supervisor for the 4th district of Tippah county. His tenure lasted 36 years and won nine consecutive elections. He served as the President of the Tippah County Board of Supervisors and the President of the Mississippi Association of Supervisors. He was an active member of the Dumas Baptist church.

Dennis leaves behind countless family members, friends, colleagues, and loved ones. I am grateful for his lifetime of service to the state of Mississippi.

IN HONOR OF THE TOWN OF NORWOOD, MASSACHUSETTS, AND IN RECOGNITION OF ITS 150TH "BIRTHDAY" CELEBRATION

HON. STEPHEN F. LYNCH

OF MASSACHUSETTS

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

*Monday, January 10, 2022*

Mr. LYNCH. Madam Speaker, I rise today in honor of the Town of Norwood, Massachu-

setts, and in recognition of its 150th "birthday" celebration.

What is now the Town of Norwood began as a cluster of small mills and farms in the southernmost district of the Town of Dedham, Massachusetts, which was founded in 1636. The district quickly evolved into a self-contained village, and, as early as 1717, its residents sought to create their own place of worship. They established a parish—known as the "Second Parish" or "South Parish"—in 1728, with Reverend Thomas Balch becoming its first resident pastor in 1736.

Although the village was a distinct community, it remained part of Dedham for more than a century. It finally separated from its mother town amid heated education and taxation disputes, and it was incorporated by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts as the Town of Norwood in 1872.

At the turn of the twentieth century, the efforts of George Willett—a magnate and Progressive Reformer—led to a new town charter, which was approved by voters in 1914. With this new charter, Norwood became the first town in New England and only the twelfth in the nation to adopt the "Town Manager" form of government, placing the day-to-day business of the community in the hands of a management professional.

Much has happened since then, but the core of Norwood's community remains unchanged. Religious institutions, civic committees, recreational facilities, and volunteer associations provide the means for all Norwood residents to thrive in the twenty-first century. So, Madam Speaker, it is my distinct honor to take the floor of the House today to recognize the Town of Norwood, Massachusetts, as it prepares to celebrate its 150th "birthday"—the anniversary of its incorporation as the Town of Norwood in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

SENATE COMMITTEE MEETINGS

Title IV of Senate Resolution 4, agreed to by the Senate of February 4, 1977, calls for establishment of a system for a computerized schedule of all meetings and hearings of Senate committees, subcommittees, joint committees, and committees of conference. This title requires all such committees to notify the Office of the Senate Daily Digest—designated by the Rules Committee—of the time, place and purpose of the meetings, when scheduled and any cancellations or changes in the meetings as they occur.

As an additional procedure along with the computerization of this information, the Office of the Senate Daily Digest will prepare this information for printing in the Extensions of Remarks section of the CONGRESSIONAL RECORD on Monday and Wednesday of each week.

Meetings scheduled for Tuesday, January 11, 2022 may be found in the Daily Digest of today's RECORD.

MEETINGS SCHEDULED

JANUARY 12

Time to be announced

Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry

Business meeting to consider the nominations of Chavonda J. Jacobs-Young,